

CLOSING EXERCISES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL

Hon. S. M. Sparkman Will Deliver Address of Welcome.

A FINE PROGRAM ARRANGED

After Eight Months of Hard and Faithful Work, Faculty and Teachers Will be Given a Breathing Spell During Hot Summer Months.

After a most successful term of eight months, the Gainesville Graded and High School will close on Friday evening with appropriate exercises. The exercises will be held in the commodious auditorium connected with the school and it is needless to add that the program, as has always been the case, will prove exceptionally interesting and entertaining.

Upon this occasion Prof. McIntosh, the principal, has been fortunate in securing Hon. S. M. Sparkman of Tampa, Congressman from the First District, to deliver an address along educational lines. Congressman Sparkman is one of the gifted and most eloquent speakers in the South and those who fail to hear him will miss one of the opportunities of their lives. The address of this distinguished gentleman on Christian Citizenship, before the Methodist General Conference about eight years ago, was a work beautiful in eloquence and pathos and attracted such widespread attention that printed copies of this address are yet in demand. A man of broad and liberal views, he is esteemed for his goodness by all who have the honor to know him.

Altogether the closing exercises of the Gainesville Graded and High School will be a credit to the faculty, to the pupils and to all interested. The program will be published later.

George Evans Lucky.

In accordance with previous announcement in The Sun, the drawing for the free painting of a house by Sternberger & Phillips was held at the store of the firm Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, and Geo. B. Evans was the lucky one.

This enterprising firm a few weeks ago inaugurated a novel way of advertising their business. They opened a register and invited everybody to inscribe their autograph as often as once a day if they desired. The register lines were numbered, and the firm announced that on May 17th a number would be drawn from a box, the name corresponding on the register to have his home painted absolutely free of cost, the firm to supply all material and workmanship.

Quite a crowd assembled at the store Tuesday morning, having been attracted by the contest. There were 633 names upon the register, and 633 numbers were placed in a box, thoroughly shaken up, and one number drawn. This was 118, which fell to the lot of George B. Evans.

Mr. Evans' friends are congratulating him upon his good fortune.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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HOSPITALS CROWDED MAJORITY OF PATIENTS WOMEN

Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saves Many From this Sad and Costly Experience.



It is a sad but true fact that every year brings an increase in the number of operations performed upon women in our hospitals. More than three-fourths of the patients lying on those snow

white beds are women and girls who are awaiting or recovering from operations made necessary by neglect. Every one of these patients had plenty of warning in that bearing down feeling, pain at the left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, leucorrhoea, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the ovaries or womb, and if not heeded the trouble will make headway until the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation, and a lifetime of impaired usefulness at best, while in many cases the results are fatal.

The following letter should bring hope to suffering women. Miss Luella Adams, of the Colonnade Hotel, Seattle, Wash., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"About two years ago I was a great sufferer from a severe female trouble, pains and headaches. The doctor prescribed for me and finally told me that I had a tumor on the womb and must undergo an operation if I wanted to get well. I felt that this was my death warrant, but I spent hundreds of dollars for medical help, but the tumor kept growing. Fortunately I corresponded with an aunt in the New England States, and she advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it was said to cure tumors. I did so and immediately began to improve in health, and I was entirely cured, the tumor disappearing entirely, without an operation. I wish every suffering woman would try this great preparation."

Just as surely as Miss Adams was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure every woman in the land who suffers from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability and nervous prostration.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all young women who are ill to write her for free advice. Address, Lynn, Mass.

ONE CAUSE OF ILLNESS.

Ridiculous Fads That Spring From a Smattering of Knowledge.

A famous physician upon being asked recently what is the chief cause of ill health replied: Thinking and talking about it all the time. This ceaseless introspection in which so many of the rising generation of nervous folk indulge is certainly wearing them out. When they are not worrying as to whether they sleep too much or too little they are fidgeting over the amount of food they take or the quantity of exercise necessary for health. In short, they never give themselves a moment's peace. Our grandfathers did not concern themselves with these questions. They ate, drank, slept, as nature prompted them. Undoubtedly they were healthier in mind and body for their sublime indifference, and if we asked ourselves fewer questions we should have less time to analyze or imagine ailments.

That medical science has made remarkable progress in the last few decades cannot be denied. The fault for some present day undesirable conditions lies not with the doctor, but with the patient. There has been too great a tendency on the part of the laity to acquire a smattering of medical knowledge through the reading of so called "health" magazines and pamphlets and to put into practice on their own account that "little knowledge," which, it cannot be denied, is a "dangerous thing." The following of some most ridiculous fads along the lines of eating, drinking, sleeping and exercise has assisted in swelling the mortality statistics. Our grandfathers would hold up their hands in horror at many of the foolish things we do in the name of "health." A little more of the comfortable nonchalance of our healthy ancestors would do no harm to the rising generation.—Housekeeper.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

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Where Wealth is Wooden.

At Gumbel's a man's wealth is reckoned first by the number of slaves he owns, next by the number of wives and then by the number of chests, empty or otherwise, he possesses. To give security to these chests, locks of American make are in great demand all over the country, and keys in large numbers are worn by the natives as the outward symbol of abundant property, though it is quite likely that many of the chests are entirely empty.

SANTA FE SECTION SHIPPING POTATOES

The Crop is Estimated at Lowest One Thousand Barrels.

FIRST SEASON A SUCCESS

As Far as Production is Concerned, but Prices Are Low—Melon Prospects Bright and Growers Happy—Other Santa Fe News.

Santa Fe, May 16.—The Union Singing School Convention will meet at Sardis Baptist Church, one and one-half miles north of Worthington Springs, on the fourth Sunday of this month. All are cordially invited to attend. Dinner will be served on the grounds free to all.

The crop prospect remains good, but are suffering for the want of rain.

The potato crop is being moved now at the rate of a car per day. The yield is good. The Williams Company claim a yield of fifty barrels to the acre. There will be three thousand barrels from here this season. This is the lowest estimate yet made. Prices we are sorry to say are not satisfactory.

The melon crop bids fair to be a record breaker here. The vines are healthy and are beginning to put on young melons.

Miss Alma Blitch of Santa Fe and her little niece, Jewel Godwin, of Rex, left for Gainesville Sunday. They will be the guests of Mrs. J. M. Rivers for a week.

Santa Fe river is very low. The young nimrods are taking the time to catch fish, which they get in abundance.

Capt. Lafayette Matthews of Bland visited relatives here Sunday. He is one of the most progressive farmers and business men in the county.

Plain Spoken.

"I understand that young Hustlem is the sort of fellow who calls a spade a spade."

"He's even more plain spoken than that. He calls his wages wages."—Houston Post.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Tex., writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson, Gainesville, Fla., and J. C. Bishop, Alachua, Fla.

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Eureka N. C. Apple Brandy	4.75	4.75	7.00	14.00
N. C. Apple Brandy	3.25	3.25	4.85	9.70
Eureka Malt	4.00	4.00	6.00	12.00
Eureka N. C. Peach Brandy	4.75	4.75	7.00	14.00
N. C. Peach Brandy	3.25	3.25	4.85	9.70
Eureka N. C. Corn	3.25	3.25	4.85	9.70
Eureka N. C. Corn, XX	3.00	3.00	4.50	9.00
Eureka N. C. Corn, XXX	2.75	2.75	4.15	8.30
Eureka N. C. Corn, XXXX	2.50	2.50	3.75	7.50
Old Crow Bourbon	4.50	4.50	6.75	13.50
Hermitage Rye	4.00	4.00	6.00	12.00
Sunny Brook Rye	3.75	3.75	5.65	11.30
Sunny Brook Sour Mash	3.75	3.75	5.65	11.30
Echo Spring	4.50	4.50	6.75	13.50
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Genesee Gin 3.75 7.50 11.25 22.50	Victoria Rye, Social Drop Rye, Medicinal quality.
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